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ROWELL TELLS ABOUT REBIRTH OF CALIFORNIA

Greatest of all the events which have taken place in California in the past four years has been the regaining of the political self-respect of the people of California. So said Chester H. Rowell, editor of the Fresno Republican, last evening at the Woman's clubhouse, and it was evident that his audience agreed with him. Mr. Rowell had sketched the course of political thought and action during that period and told of some of the things which the people had accomplished under the leadership of Governor Johnson and which have astonished the world by the completeness of the revolution wrought. But his conclusion was that the most important change had been in the people themselves.

Mr. Rowell spoke under the auspices of the Woman's Club and was introduced by Judge E. W. Camp who assigned him to first rank among those whose leadership has brought about great changes of recent years.

Mr. Rowell's speech was not political in that it was not devoted to the promotion of the interests of any party or candidate. His own candidacy for the United States senate was not mentioned. He spoke without particular preparation on "Events of the past four years in California." And since the greatest events of that period had been in the field of politics any address on the subject named would necessarily deal with politics. His close familiarity with those events as a participant or first hand observer had given him all the preparation that was necessary for an interesting and convincing address.

Upsetting Precedent

Mr. Rowell illustrated the magnitude of the change that had taken place by telling of reading a book written in 1911 and then regarded as extremely advanced in its stand on politics and economics. But as he read it a few days ago it was so far behind what has actually been achieved in California that it gave him the curious feeling that it had been written in another age. He told with graphic illustrations of the California legislature of 1907 as one of the products of railroad and corporation rule in politics, and then of the campaign of 1910 and the redemption.

When Governor Johnson made the 1910 campaign upon a single issue nobody thought his promises very remarkable because they had always had promises from candidates and platforms and had grown to believe them all buncombe because politics was a bunk game anyway. But when Governor Johnson was elected and proceeded to fulfill the promises which he and his party had made the world began to take notice. Within two weeks after the convening of the legislature the best railroad regulation law the country had ever seen was passed, and other laws followed in quick succession, for which other states had been struggling many years. The first decision of the new railroad commission effected a saving of \$750,000 annually to the people of California, which is sufficient to pay the costs of all the commissions which have been created by the Johnson administration. But people who howl about expensive "commissions" as an evil simply show their ignorance of the good these commissions are accomplishing for the people, seemingly unable to get away from the old conception of commissions as they were maintained under railroad domination.

Freak Legislation

Our constitution is 100 times worse than the next to the worst state constitution in America, said Mr. Rowell. It is so bad that everything is unconstitutional and whenever it is desired to put any fundamental new legislation on the books it is necessary to amend the constitution. Consequently most of the important measures proposed during the past four years have had to go back to the people for ratification. So the people have had two chances to approve or disapprove—in the indorsement of the party platforms and candidates who promise it and in passing on the measures directly. So when the charge of "freak" is laid against the Johnson administration it is a charge against the people of California.

Net results achieved in California during the four year period have been the wresting of politics from corporation control, reformation of the state's method of doing business and the elimination of graft and inefficiency, and long steps toward bettering fundamental economic conditions. But greatest of all has been the regeneration of the people of California, said Mr. Rowell. They can now hold up their heads and look the world in the face. They have come to realize that what were formerly regarded as purely idealistic conditions can be actually accomplished. They realize that men can be active in politics for unselfish motives. And while there may be occasional delays there will never be a halt or reversal in the political progress of the state.

TO WORK FOR BOARD

Ninety days of work for his board and lodging in Sheriff Hammel's hotel was the sentence given by Recorder Perry to a chap who gave the name of Jack Snyder and was adjudged guilty of stealing. Even at that he will have better fare and shelter than he had for the past month around Sierra Madre. Most of that time he had been camping out under trees or some makeshift shelter in the Santa Anita wash, pilfering milk bottles in the small hours of the night and leading an otherwise precarious existence. Deputy Marshal Cox heard of his camp in the arroyo and paid him a call, when he decided to take him into custody. Snyder had in his possession a blue serge suit and several pairs of silk stockings which had disappeared from the clothesline of Emerich's cleaning establishment. The stockings had been converted into socks by the simple expedient of severing the tops, which were found nearby. Several milk bottles scattered about solved the mystery of the disappearance of milk from several houses in the east part of town after it had been left by the milk man early in the morning. After considering the evidence Judge Perry decided if the fellow would not earn his living voluntarily he ought to take a lesson on the rock pile. Snyder's peculiar facial appearance and manner gave the impression of deficient mentality though he was keen enough to be above the ordinary classification of insanity. A young fellow named Richards who has been living in Carter's Camp for some time was taken into custody on Monday and confessed to having robbed the Douglass and Binford refreshment stands and the Wetherell cottage in the canyon. Because he was a minor he was taken to the detention home in Los Angeles. He denied having been in custody before but a few minutes later was found to have been arrested for stealing a bicycle and placed on probation, his year having expired but a little while ago. He is now in the detention home awaiting trial.

DR. THORNE A CANDIDATE

Pasadena Star.—A group of citizens of Lamanda Park met last night at the residence of J. F. Jourdan and were unanimous in deciding that they wished Dr. E. J. Thorne to run for the office of supervisor for this district. Accordingly Dr. Thorne was sent for and asked if he would become a candidate. He consented. Reports from El Monte, Monrovia, Duarte, San Gabriel and other places, all favorable to Dr. Thorne, were presented. An organization to advance his candidacy will be formed at once. Dr. Thorne stands on a platform summarized as follows: Loyalty to the county charter; the short ballot; civil service; non-partisanship in county work; careful and efficient planning for the interests of the San Gabriel Valley as a whole; every local community to be encouraged in its development and improvement; uniformity of laws and unification of interests throughout the valley; cordial democratic spirit in dealing with community and county needs.

Dr. Thorne was for four years president of the Lamanda Park Improvement association and was on the executive committee of the intercity commission.

HEARING ON SALE

Railroad Commissioner Edgerton held a hearing on Wednesday in the matter of the petition of the Sierra Madre Water Company to sell and the city of Sierra Madre to buy the company's water system. An accountant for the commission had gone over the books of the company and of the city, securing information regarding the affairs of both relative to the transfer. The hearing was brief and most of the testimony was given by Senator Hewitt who told of the city's bond issues and the purchase of the Baldwin water rights with the purpose in view of placing the entire local supply and distribution system under municipal control. Commissioner Edgerton promised to bring the case before the commission at once. Approval of three commissioners is required for a decision.

MONROVIA DAY

Monrovia's annual birthday celebration grows more pretentious each year. It falls on May 16, or Saturday of next week, and great preparations are under way for the occasion. There will be a big parade and a variety of other entertainment and many visitors are expected from other places.

The members of the Sierra Madre Chapter, O. E. S., were guests of the Southland Chapter of Pasadena on Tuesday night. The Monrovia and Eagle Rock chapters were also guests, and the Monrovia lodge did the initiatory work. Some interesting addresses in addition to the work of the lodge were included in the entertainment and a sumptuous banquet was served to the guests later in the evening. The Sierra Madre lodge was represented by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kersting, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pascoe, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Coapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Timms, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Powell, Mesdames F. J. Sokol, F. L. Merrill, L. E. Steinberger, Howard Hill, W. E. Farman, N. T. Brown, L. W. Benadum, M. Hyde and Miss Martha Hyde, Messrs. S. H. Spafford, Harvey Steinberger and N. G. Peterson.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Board of Trustees Organizes and Takes Up Matters of Importance

According to the laws governing school boards the school trustees held a reorganization meeting Saturday, May 2. Prof. E. T. Pierce was re-elected president of the board, J. H. Wright was elected district clerk. The present personnel of the board is Prof. E. T. Pierce, Mrs. H. T. Fennel and J. H. Wright.

It was decided that more publicity be given school matters and decisions of the board. A. M. Udel, city marshal, and George Cox, deputy marshal, were appointed trustee officers with authority to bring in children of legal age who are not attending school, or who wilfully avoid school sessions.

The district clerk was authorized to make arrangements with the Sierra Madre News for the printing of the school paper. Many other matters of interest were discussed.

Communications of any interest for the welfare of the school and its attendants should be sent to the District clerk, J. H. Wright, who will bring the matters before the board of trustees.

Hereafter complaints of any discourtesy, infraction of rules governing teachers, misconduct or apparent neglect must be in writing and should be backed by actual facts. Hearsay evidence or unsupported personal comment will not be considered. Communications so received will be absolutely confidential unless of such a nature as to call for a public hearing. J. H. W.

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

Remember the stereopticon exhibition of paintings by American artists this evening.

Fifth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the Woman's Club House will be celebrated at the regular meeting next Monday. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the club. Dr. Elwood Nash of Los Angeles will review Winston Churchill's novel, "The Inside of the Cup." Dr. Nash has given this review several times in Los Angeles and it has been pronounced one of the finest book reviews ever given there. Miss Verona Yule of Sierra Madre will furnish the music. Refreshments will be served after the program, a special feature of which will be the candle-light birthday cake. A gold or silver offering as generous as may be possible will be appreciated as the club has special need of the money at this time.

—Press Committee.

A house party of medical students of the Los Angeles School of Osteopathy were guests of Dr. Emery at Sierra Madre Canyon Park for the week end. On Saturday night a dance was held at the canyon club house and about 75 guests were present.

USING STATE WEALTH

How to Make Best Use of Resources Is Teaching of New Book

"Conservation of Resources in California" is a new book just issued from the State Printing Office and strikes the newer note in the Conservation movement by pointing out not only abuses and wastes, but more particularly wise and constructive development and use of our natural resources. It looks to the use of our mines, the care of our petroleum, the replanting of our forests, the cutting of our ripe timber, the prevention of our fires. Superintendent Hyatt urgently asks every teacher of the state to use it in the following words on the title page:

"A personal appeal is made to the California school teacher to take this little manual and use it to the future good of the state you serve. Read it. Surely something in its varied music will strike a responsive chord in you that will vibrate long enough to affect in turn some of the young people with whom you labor, the young people who will soon be the old people, the young people who so soon will have the destiny of the Golden State in their hands to do with as they may."

"Read it. Try to find at least one idea that is worth passing on. Then, pass it on."

"And may the future rise up and call you blessed. May it enshrine you in the memory as one who would gladly learn and gladly teach."

HOME OF TRUTH

"Walking the Waves" is the subject of the discourse to be given next Sunday at 3:30 at the Home of Truth, corner Auburn and Carter. Text, Isaiah 43:2: "When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee." All are cordially invited. Services conducted by Harriet C. Hamner.

Sunday school at two o'clock. All children welcome.

SIERRA MADRE 7, OWLS 3

The Sierra Madre team won their fourth straight game Sunday by defeating the Owl Drugs at Seal Beach by a score of 7 to 3, in a seven inning game. As a comment on the game—the Owls had nice clean suits, but that was all. The local team ran wild on the bases, stealing twelve in all. Next Sunday's game is scheduled for the local lot with the Southwesterns of Los Angeles.

Richard Walton Tully of New York, the noted playwright, was in Sierra Madre on Thursday visiting his parents. Mr. Tully's home is in New York city. He is the author of "Omar, the Tent Maker," and "The Bird of Paradise."

SIERRA MADRE RAINFALL

Season 1913-1914	
November	4.06
December	1.89
January	20.63
February	15.56
March	78
April	1.63
May 1	0.13
4	0.22
Total to date	44.90

Total for corresponding period in 1913, 20.12 inches. Average rainfall for the month of May, 1.05 inches. Heaviest May record, in 1892, with a 3.92 inch rainfall. No rainfall in May, 1908, 1909, and 1910.

BIG MINSTREL SUCCESS

Second performance of the Feed & Fun Club's minstrels last Friday evening was even better than the first, the performers getting into action a little more freely after becoming accustomed to working before an audience. The house was crowded on the second night with a most enthusiastic audience. In the olio there was an added feature of genuine merit, Roy Emery appearing in a "rube" song and dance. Makeup and performance made a tremendous hit. Mrs. C. B. Green was presented with a handsome leather music roll in token of the appreciation of the caste for her painstaking and efficient work as accompanist. Financially the performance was quite successful, netting about \$80 for the club. The amount would undoubtedly have been much larger with more favorable weather conditions.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church of the Ascension, the Rev. Dr. Geo. H. Cornell, rector. Vested choir. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.; subject of sermon, "The Church's Heritage of the Past." Lecture on Confirmation 4:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Paintings by some of the foremost American artists of the day will be reproduced on the screen at the Club House this evening. About sixty slides will be shown, which are the property of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs and were prepared for exhibition at the biennial convention in Chicago. A small admission fee will be charged.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

"Curing a Kicker" will be the theme of the sermon next Sunday morning. On Sunday evening the address will be upon "The Story of Noah."

A. S. Mead and Howard Hill are the delegates chosen to represent this church at the annual meeting of the "Southern California Congregational Conference," which meets next week, at San Diego.

All members of the C. E. Society are urged to make special effort to be present at all evening services during May and June, including the mid-week service. W. H. HANNAFORD, Pastor.

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SIERRA MADRE CASE HEARD BY EDGERTON

In the combined roles of counsel, witnesses, rooters, and innocent bystanders, Messrs. F. D. R. Moore and C. C. Montgomery presented the case of the Sierra Madre Board of Trade before the state railroad commission on Monday. The commission was represented by Commissioner Edgerton. The railway company was represented by Attorney Frank Carr, General Manager McMillen, Traffic Manager Pontius, Engineer Lansdale, and others.

Net results of the hearing will be the erection of a better type of station at the end of the line than had been planned by the company as soon as the altered plans are approved by the commission, the adjusting of operating schedule of the evening cars so that all delays will be avoided, and the possible elimination of the Fletcher Avenue stops. Commissioner Edgerton was in doubt as to the powers of the commission to control that stop because of the company's franchise in South Pasadena antedating the commission as at present constituted.

Their Own Witnesses

Messrs. Moore and Montgomery had witnesses which should have delighted their hearts as attorneys. Not a solitary person from Sierra Madre appeared at the hearing, so they had to act as their own witnesses. Both being commuters, they were able to give testimony on all the points involved. In addition the evidence collected by various persons on the evening cars during the past fortnight had been collected and tabulated.

These reports showed the average number of passengers standing on the 5:10 car before reaching Fletcher Avenue was sixteen, and eleven persons on an average alighted at that point. The average number standing on the 6:05 car was ten, with twenty getting off at Fletcher Avenue. Not one car in five of the El Molino local cars passed was filled, and it was frequently noted that there would be a score standing on the Sierra Madre car when the El Molino cars passed by it would have only half a load.

The railway officials admitted that the South Pasadena and Alhambra people would not use the El Molino local cars provided especially for their use because of their slowness, and that several of the local cars had been dropped from the schedule for lack of patronage.

The matter of cutting out the Fletcher Avenue stop involved the legal powers of the commission because of the fact that the railway's South Pasadena charter antedates the law under which the railroad commission is operating. Mr. Edgerton took the point under advisement and asked the attorneys to prepare briefs on the subject, indicating that there is a chance for relief on this point. On the other hand, the South Pasadena people have filed a case before the commission asking that all cars be compelled to stop at Dos Robles. This demand will involve the same point and if granted will make conditions worse instead of better. South Pasadena recently voted, however, to place control of the utilities in the hands of the commission, which may alter matters further.

Impossibility of securing a double track at present was brought out at the hearing. Carefully checked estimates placed the cost of double tracking from El Molino at more than \$85,000. The company claimed the operating cost to be 21c per traffic mile, which is boosted by interest and taxes to nearly 30 cents. The income from the Sierra Madre line was shown to be a fraction less than 31c per traffic mile, leaving practically no margin for extensions.

Railway officials said they had absolutely no money for extensions, a new line to South Pasadena having been halted for that reason, as well as many other extensions which are urgently needed. They were very positive in their assurance that the Sierra Madre line would be completely double tracked whenever the traffic would warrant the expense. But they said they could carry twice as many passengers as at present without delay through the cars interfering with each other on the single track portion of the line.

Total earnings of the Sierra Madre line were shown to be \$79,965 in a year. Of this amount only \$800 could be assigned to the Fletcher Avenue traffic.

Informal conversation among the various attorneys and railroad officials showed that auto competition in the carrying of passengers is felt by the electric lines. And how to estimate the future effect of this traffic is puzzling both the railways and the commissioners.

Remarkable as it may seem, it was shown that during a period when the population of Long Beach had increased 150 per cent the passenger traffic over the Pacific Electric between that city and Los Angeles had shown no increase whatever. This was attributed chiefly to the increase in private autos. Now that passenger carrying autos have entered the commercial field in Long Beach and Pasadena further interesting developments are awaited.

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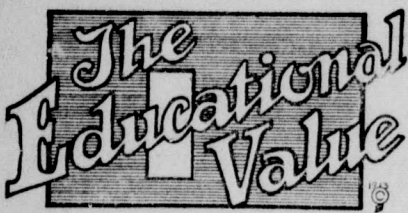
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Brief Items of Interest

Roydon Pool was the guest of friends
at Long Beach on Sunday.

Miss Maybelle Caley spent the week
end at Long Beach as guest of friends.
Mrs. M. E. Jewett of Los Angeles is
spending several weeks in Sierra Ma-
dre.

Miss Nita Randall of Glendale was
the week end guest of Miss Verna
Trible.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards are oc-
cupying the Hamer cottage on Ramona
avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowen were the
week end guests of relatives at Long
Beach.

J. Klatcher of Los Angeles has rented
the Harriman house at 82 Central
avenue.

The Modern Priscillas will meet
with Miss Annis B. Coffey on Thurs-
day, May 14.

Capt. J. A. Osgood is attending the
annual G. A. R. encampment in San
Diego this week.

Miss Volus McNight of Los Angeles
was a visitor at the home of F. D. R.
Moote this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Coapman and Miss
Irene spent the week end in Monrovia
as guests of friends.

J. T. Counts, a real estate broker of
Long Beach, has rented one of Mrs.
Minnie Kimball's cottages on Auburn
avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale and Miss
Clara Ragsdale have returned from a
two weeks trip to their ranch near
Corona.

Mr. Collie Kinney of Tropic was a
dinner guest at the Cornuelle home on
Sunday.

On Friday Mrs. J. T. Mason gave a
delightful luncheon complimentary to
Mrs. E. C. Carhart's guest, Mrs. Green
of Alameda.

Luncheon guests of Mrs. M. W. Cops
on Wednesday were Mrs. Hildreth and
daughter, Mrs. Hunter of Fon du Lac,
Wis., and the Mmes. Northcote of
Cleveland, Ohio.

The Dickens Fellowship will be en-
tertained on Wednesday, May 13, at
a one o'clock luncheon at the home of
Mrs. L. C. Torrance, 426 Kenmore ave-
nue, Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ingraham and
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson were
luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul
Brewster of Cheyenne, Wyo., at the
Hayward on Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Merrill, their niece
Miss Ada Benson, and Mrs. Ella Jack-
son motored from Los Angeles on Sat-
urday and were guests at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickson.

The Ladies Missionary Society will
meet in the Congregational church at
3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, May 12;
topic, "Foreign Missions." A cordial
invitation is extended to all.

Miss Edith Blumer returned home
Friday night from Nordhoff, where she
has been the guest of her sister, Mrs.
William Thacher, for three weeks.
While there she witnessed the annual
tennis tournament.

The S. S. G. Club of the Congrega-
tional Church visited the George Junior
Republic last Friday. They went over
by motor truck, and were accompanied
by Miss Portia Ulrich, their teacher,
and Mrs. C. B. Reas.

Mrs. Elizabeth Borglum is spending
a week at Ocean Park visiting friends.
On Wednesday she was the luncheon
guest of Mrs. Gordon Wattles of Holly-
wood. Miss Danet is the guest of Mrs.
J. A. Osgood during Mrs. Borglum's
absence.

Charles H. Perry attended an enjoy-
able recital at the First Presbyterian
Church of Pasadena on Tuesday eve-
ning for the Southern California chap-
ter of the American Guild of Organ-
ists. Selections were given by some of
the most prominent organists in the
west.

On Sunday Prof. and Mrs. E. T.
Pierce were guests at a delightful
birthday dinner party given by Mrs.
Katherine Pierce Wheat of Los An-
geles. The guests included Mrs. Wheat's
seven brothers and their families, and
also her son, Karl Wheat, who is a stu-
dent at Pomona College. The hostess
received many beautiful birthday gifts.

Mrs. H. Q. Houghton of Indiana is
the guest of her brother, C. H. Baker
and family.

Mrs. J. L. Lamont of Los Angeles
has rented Mrs. Calvert's house on
Grand View avenue.

Mrs. Meta Newschwander of Holly-
wood spent Wednesday in Sierra visit-
ing old friends.

Miss Anna and Miss Lillie Anderson
of Glendale were week end guests of
Miss Ruth Cornuelle.

Mrs. J. L. Stevenson of Van Nuys
was the guest of Mrs. J. R. Allen Wed-
nesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando McDaniels of
Long Beach spent Tuesday in Sierra
Madre visiting friends.

Mrs. M. A. DeTemple has returned
home from Arizona where she has been
visiting the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Potter of San
Gabriel were the guests of Mrs. Hed-
derly for the minstrel show.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Hart will attend
the Florzley string quartet concert in
Los Angeles on Saturday afternoon.

Claude L. Short, the new manager at
the Blinn Lumber Company office, has
rented Mrs. E. Wood Davis' house on
Bonita avenue.

Mrs. H. K. Dossinger of Ontario and
Mr. and Mrs. W. Hilbarz of Pasadena
were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and
Mrs. C. C. Bodine.

Last week Prof. and Mrs. E. T.
Pierce motored to San Bernardino
where they spent several days visiting
an old friend, Capt. Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gill and grand-
son, Grant Gill, of San Fernando spent
Saturday and Sunday as guests of Mr.
and Mrs. C. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mangold left Sat-
urday for Redondo to visit their son
for a couple of weeks before going to
their old home in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baugh of Los An-
geles attended the minstrel show and
spent Thursday and Friday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Humphries.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hull were guests
at a reception in Pasadena on Monday
evening at the home of Mr. J. O. Cross,
principal of the Pasadena high school.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. E. C.
Carhart gave a little informal affair to
a few of her friends, for the purpose of
meeting her cousin, Mrs. Green of Ala-
meda.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yerxa moved
this week into their former home on
East Central avenue. The Burger cot-
tage is now occupied by A. E. Griggs
and family.

Mrs. John Wire returned home this
week from the Rose Mead Sanatorium,
Pasadena, where she had been for some
time. Her friends will be glad to hear
of her improvement in health.

Miss Henrietta Ulrich who has been
spending several months in Berkeley
returned this week to Sierra Madre
and will remain at the home of her
brother, A. L. Ulrich, for some time.

A party including Mrs. C. E. Cook,
Mrs. W. B. Crisp, Miss Gertrude Cook
and Miss Edith Steinberger attended
the concert given by Mischa Elman at
the Auditorium on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Fairbank entertained the
members of the P. E. O., Chapter Q,
of Hollywood, on Thursday with a char-
mingly appointed luncheon. About fif-
teen members of the chapter were
present.

The Ladies' Aid Society held an all
day meeting in the church parlors on
Tuesday. Hostesses for the occasion
were the Misses Johnson, and Mrs. E.
N. Mead. A large attendance was pre-
sent and the ladies spent the day work-
ing on materials for the fall bazaar.

Plans were made for a musical eve-
ning to be given at the church on Fri-
day, May 22. Further notice will be
given later.

Miss Ruth Sparks gave a very de-
lightful miscellaneous shower on Tues-
day evening at her home on Mariposa
avenue, complimentary to Miss Mil-
dred Sherman whose marriage to Mr.
Merton H. Clark is to take place the
sixteenth of this month. The shower
was a surprise to the bride to be. Pre-
tily and useful gifts were uniquely
brought in by an old lady carrying a

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basket full of wares which proved to
be the shower gifts. The rooms were
prettily decorated in the Eleven and
One colors, yellow and white, and re-
freshments carried out the same color
scheme. The white bride's cake had
hidden fortunes for all the guests,
which caused a great deal of amuse-
ment. The guests included Mrs. W. P.
Dennison, the Misses Verna Trible,
Marian Decker, Anna Janson, Myrtle
Preston, Avis Preston, Hilda Caley,
and Maybelle Caley.

HOW TO RENOVATE
LAST YEAR'S GOWN.

The revival of the pegtop skirt
has brought about the use of
four or five ruffles of graduated
depth, the deepest beginning at
the waist.

This fashion should instantly
suggest to a woman what she
can do with one of last winter's
gowns that is in need of reno-
vating. Lace or net or chiffon
or tulle can be used for these
ruffles. The one requirement is
that they should be so draped
and gathered that they steadily
diminish toward the foot line.

As the entirely plain satin or
velvet skirt is not in first fash-
ion this winter any woman may
be glad to know how she can
use what she has.

It may not be an expensive
proposition to buy lace or any
other fabric sufficiently to supply
these ruffles, but only the wo-
man herself can tell whether the
experiment is worth the price.

EXOTIC STUCCO.

How to Make the Plaster House Look
at Home.

There is an exotic look about many
stucco and plaster houses built in
many parts of the world today, and it
is because the plaster house is really a
product of the tropics transplanted.
When it is built in colder climates it
lacks the environment which it was
made to fit and therefore lacks some-
thing essential.

Take a plaster cottage on the bleak
New England sea coast or a stucco
cabin in a western desert or a plaster
and stucco house in any of a hundred
suburbs in temperate climes. They
do not look as if they belonged where
they are. And this is the reason:

They look bare.
In their native home, the tropics,
they are covered with vines and hid-
den with shrubs a few months after
they are built, and the comfortable
covering which Mother Nature gives
them soon cloaks their bareness. They
immediately become a part of the land-
scape, just as frame houses merge
with the trees about them. The stucco
bungalows of California, covered with
roses and flowering shrubs, look as if
they had stood where they stand since
the beginning of civilization.

So the thing for the owner of a stucco
or plaster house to do is to plant
quick growing vines and shrubs about
it and so acclimatize it. Hardy ever-
greens barked at the corners will help
make the house look comfortable in
the winter. In the summer honey-
suckle, rambler roses, hollyhocks, wel-
gella and other quick growing vines
and shrubs and plants can be used to
make the stucco house look better.

ETIQUETTE POINT.

How to Give the Popular Afternoon
Tea.

Afternoon teas continue to be a
great feature among the entertain-
ments of the day. Fashion calls on
a mother to introduce her daughter.
Certain formalities are observed on a
special occasion of the sort for the in-
troducing of a debutante. An engraved
card is used, having the name of the
daughter beneath that of her mother,
with the date, the hours for receiving
and the address. In the lower left
hand corner of the card may be the
words, "Fridays in January," too indi-
cate other days during the winter for
receiving more informally. Cards are
about five inches long by three and a
half wide. The usual style of engrav-
ing is script. According to recent fash-
ion the form is:

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of husband and wife.

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WINIFRED'S BEST YEARS

They Were Yet
to Come

By ANNE HEILMAN.

Winifred Lane and Josiah Dent had been lovers since their A B C days. For seventeen years now she had worn the ring he had sold his first colt to buy. Together they had "stood up" for her brother Dick and Eliza at Dick's first wedding, while all the assembled company commented upon them and looked forward to another wedding.

Her father's failing health had brought the first postponement. Then Dick came home a widower and his delicate baby became "Aunt Winnie's" charge. Dick's second marriage had brought a gleam of hope. But Julia Rebecca declined to live on the farm, and Dick bought a place in another town, leaving to his sister the care of her mother and the farm. Six years later Mother Lane and Julia Rebecca had both died in the same week, and Dick, cheerfully consigning his orphan brood to his sister's care, had taken an extended trip west.

Through it all Josiah had waited patiently, declaring always when Winifred offered him his release that there was but one woman in the world for him, and Winifred had settled down to cheerful performance of daily duty, brightened by the "some day" that would yet be hers.

The patiently awaited day seemed near at hand on this dull November afternoon. Richard Lane had unexpectedly appeared at his sister's home accompanied by his third wife, and without any unnecessary delay had taken his children to the western town in which he was located.

Miss Lane stood on the front veranda and watched the loaded wagon drive away. "Dick hasn't had any kind of luck with wives so far, but I've a notion this will last," she said aloud as she went slowly indoors.

How still it was! The children's voices seemed to echo through the empty rooms. Winifred's eyes filled with scolding tears.

"Yes," she said in a tone which held both regret and relief, "they're gone for good, and I s'pose I'm free at last. Of course he'll hear," she continued presently. "Maybe he'll be over tonight. I'd better tidy up."

Miss Lane lit the parlor lamp and, after a little hesitation, pinned on her best lace collar. "It'll do no harm even if nobody comes," she argued to herself.

But the clock struck 8 and 9, and no one came. "He hasn't heard yet," she assured herself as she went to bed.

The vigil was repeated the next evening and the next. Winifred became perplexed.

"When Dick married his second Josiah was here before tea time," she reflected. "But I won't begin to worry until Sunday," she sensibly determined. "Josiah'll be at church, and he'll hear about Dick."

Sunday was ushered in with a drizzling rain, but in the afternoon the sun shone bravely. Miss Lane went to evening service attired in the neat gray dress and bonnet which had been purchased for her brother's second wedding, twelve years ago. Feeling lonely, she gladly accepted an invitation from the minister's wife to a seat in the front pew. She could not see Josiah, but she felt his presence two pews behind, and his deep voice in the hymns sent thrills of pride to her loving heart.

With pardonable coquetry, she lingered a little going out. A casual glance through the open door assured her that he was waiting in the entry as of old. She had nearly reached him. In another minute she would have slipped her hand within his arm with the fond assurance of ownership when a blond head, surmounted by a bright red turban, came between them, and Josiah went down the steps with pretty Nettie Searles clinging to his arm.

Miss Lane walked home through the starlight alone. Lighting the lamp, she went directly to a mirror and gazed long and thoughtfully at the reflection within, comparing it with the girlish prettiness of the face beneath the red turban. The glass refused to flatter. The angular form, the careworn brow and hollow cheeks, the lines about the patient mouth, all spoke of burdens borne and labor accomplished.

"It isn't to be wondered at," Winifred said, with a sigh, as she stirred the low fire and settled down to retrospection and consideration. "My best years have gone and I've got dull and uninteresting in all this time."

Her first thought was one of renunciation. The freedom she had offered in years gone by she would freely give now. But she thought of the future and hesitated. Not on her own behalf—she had been put entirely out of the question from the first. But as she remembered tales of Mrs. Searles' housekeeping and the flippant remarks she had heard from Nettie's lips she felt suddenly impelled to warfare on Josiah's behalf.

"Red cheeks and dimples can't insure a comfortable home," Miss Lane decided sagely. "If it was any nice girl that's been well brought up I wouldn't hesitate a minute. But all Bloomville knows that Nettie's reputation for dressing and flirting far out-

does her skill in housekeeping. I've no right to shrink from trying to save Josiah from a miserable home. His one hope is in my holdin' him fast to our engagement, and talk or no talk, I'm going to do it."

"I'll spend the winter with Cousin Emma," she decided. "There ain't a soul in Bloomville knows her address. Dick says she don't look within a dozen years as old as I do, and she's a year older. She always was real tasty. Maybe I can pick up a few hints from her. Looks and dresses and general up-to-dateness makes lots of difference to a man."

All the next day she toiled steadily setting her house in order. And Tuesday morning while waiting for the expressman she penned a note to her recent lover:

Dearest Josiah—I write to inform you that I am well and expect to spend this winter in the city. I leave today, so I shall not have the pleasure of seeing you before I go. But you will be constantly in my thoughts, and your ring, as always, will be my reminder of our engagement. Yours until death. WINIFRED.

"It will show him that I'm holdin' him fast," meditated Miss Lane as the train sped cityward. "And as I didn't give any address, he won't know where to write. He isn't one to go very far with that Searles girl until he breaks with me. And he can't break with me until he finds out where to send a letter."

Bloomville was golden with dandelions and white with apple blossoms when Winifred Lane came home to her own. "Not a soul knows I've come," she reflected as she unpacked the new trunk. She sighed suddenly. "Well, by tomorrow I shall know. He's had the winter to consider in, and if he's still set upon it I'll give him up."

Josiah Dent came up the church steps with a look of discontent upon his comely face. In the months that had passed since Winifred's disappearance he had nursed a growing sense of injury.

"Tain't fair," he complained, "keeping a fellow on the fence so. Her best years have been spent for Dick anyhow, and a woman ages faster'n a man. If she'd given me her address, I'd have settled it months ago."

Josiah went up the aisle to his own pew. Above the high back of the minister's pew there arose a white sailor hat, swathed with an airy muslin scarf. Beneath it soft waves of curling hair rippled across a brow from which all traces of care had been resolutely smoothed away.

Josiah, watching with some curiosity until she turned her head slightly, caught the clear profile and noted the soft color in her cheek. It was Winifred! All at once there dawned upon him the truth that immortal youth is not at the mercy of added years and that better than the passing beauty of girlhood is that womanliness which shall outlast the ages.

"I'm glad I didn't know where to write," thought Josiah, with a sense of narrow escape and a growing feeling of anxiety.

Winifred was unaware of his presence until she heard his voice in the closing hymn. As the last notes ceased she turned to him, smiling straight up into his anxious face.

"Well, Josiah," she said.

And Josiah wondered why he had not known before that raiment, whether it be the unbecoming gray of past years or the crisp muslin that seemed to give back to him the love of his early years, was not worthy of a passing thought. It was the old Winifred who smiled up at him out of those clear eyes. Nettie Searles and the throng about them were alike forgotten. He only thought of the woman before him—the only woman in the world for him—and all Bloomville had its answer to a long winter of speculation and comment as he stooped to kiss her in the crowded church. Winifred Lane's best years were yet to come.

Germany May Get Zanzibar.

Persistent rumors are in circulation that Zanzibar will shortly be handed over to Germany in exchange for territory or concessions in other parts of Africa. Zanzibar lies along the coast of German East Africa. After a long period of more or less joint control it was definitely ceded to Great Britain under the Anglo-German convention of June, 1890, and in return England handed over to the kaiser's government the island of Helgoland, to which little importance was then attached, but which has since been transformed into a formidable naval station, protecting the approaches to the river Elbe.—Lloyd's Weekly.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Water and the Tissues.

The human body is constantly undergoing tissue changes. Water has the power of increasing these changes, which multiply the waste products, but at the same time they are renewed by its agency, giving rise to increased appetite, which in turn provides fresh nutriment. If you do not accustom yourself to drink water regularly you are liable to have the waste products form faster than they are removed. Any obstruction to the free working of natural laws at once produces disease. Great weakness and languor on rising in the morning are generally due to a large secretion of these waste products and the remedy is to drink a tumblerful of water—either hot or cold—just before retiring. This materially assists in the process during the night and leaves the tissues fresh and strong, ready for the active work of the next day.

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California's Mountains.

Things are wonderful principally by comparison. There are sixty or more lofty mountains in California rising more than 13,000 feet above sea level which are not considered sufficiently noteworthy among all the surrounding wealth of mountain scenery to have even received names, according to the United States geological survey. Any one of these mountain peaks if situated in the eastern part of the United States would, of course, be visited by millions of people. But California has seventy additional mountain peaks more than 13,000 feet high, which have been named, or 130 in all, as well as a dozen rising above 14,000 feet.

New Alloy Resists Chemicals.

According to a report presented by the official chemist of the American Institute of Metals, it is claimed that an alloy of cobalt and tin of about forty to sixty is especially resistant to acids; but, owing to the brittleness of the alloy, it has little commercial value. Experiments have, however, tended to indicate that admixtures of this alloy with other metals—such, for instance, as copper—produce a series of alloys which may be turned, forged and machined and have a high degree of chemical resistance.—American Machinist.

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be chosen for the washing of feather
boas. It should be proceeded with in
the following manner:

Make a nice warm lather of soapy
water. Care must be taken to see that
the soap is thoroughly dissolved. Into
this dip the boas, etc., gently squeez-
ing them. The soil will quickly come
out into the water. Dip them then
again and again, then get a second lot
of water and repeat the dipping.
When the water remains clean the
washing process is finished. Avoid
rubbing the boas. Let the water do
the work.

After the last water the boas should
be rinsed, and if a pure white color is
desired dip in a faint blue water.

The boas must now be shaken well.
At this stage they will look quite ruin-
ed, but an hour or so's hanging in the
air will make them perfect once more.
The feathers if curly before will be so
again, and if not known it would never
be suspected that they had ever
been in water.

Before putting the boas away they
should be gently shaken before the fire,
and at any time if the boas are ex-
posed to damp this will revive them.

ECONOMY.

One of the greatest curses of
American civilization today is the
fact that it is unfashionable to save
and that the people are ashamed to
save, while extravagance, waste
and carelessness are looked upon
as smart and signs of prosperity.—
Roger W. Babson.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

Swat the Right One—

Swat the fly is enough advice, but it
would be vastly better to swat the man
who is responsible for conditions which
make the fly possible.

Again or Yet—

Some eastern paper printed an ar-
ticle on the subject "Why baseball
writers go crazy." There is good
ground for the opinion that many of
them were born that way.

Another Jolt—

Failure of the recall directed against
Supervisor Norton brought satisfac-
tion to multitudes of people in other
districts who were not directly inter-
ested. That two to one vote for Norton
must have been a severe jolt to the
remnant of the spoils regime at the
court house. They sought his scalp
because of his work for the county
civil service as demanded by the peo-
ple. Dirty fighting and attempts to
befog the issue cost his opponents
many votes.

Rowell For Senator—

The News endorsed Chester H. Row-
ell for United States senator at the
first mention of his name for the place
last year. He has been one of the
most effective, though not most con-
spicuous, workers for the political re-
generation of California. His address
in Sierra Madre last evening was not
a part of his campaign and did not
deal with party politics or his can-
didacy. But it gave his hearers a
chance to see what manner of man he
is, and the impression was unmis-
takably favorable. Scholarly culture,
practical information, industry and
sincere desire to bring about better
conditions will make him a valuable
representative in the senate.

—G. B. M.

TALKING TO HIMSELF

Los Angeles Graphic.—Like a man
with the habit of talking in his sleep,
William R. Hearst has resumed his oc-
cupation of writing letters to himself,
though this time he has not been so
contemptuous of public common sense
as to label them "not intended for pub-
lication." Monday's Los Angeles Ex-
aminer contained another of these
epistles from Hearst to "the editor in
charge of this paper," upon which the
editor commented at considerable
length. Now, that is quite permissible,
quite ethical, though intensely silly. It
is when we find that exactly the same
letter is found in the San Francisco
Examiner, addressed to "the editor in
charge of this paper," supplemented
with precisely the same comment by
that editor that was furnished by the
Los Angeles editor, that the thing be-
comes more than a joke, and assumes
the aspect and proportions of a na-
tional insult, for of course the same
thing appeared in every other Hearst
paper published that morning. This
mad shriek for war, Hearst is trying
to make it appear, is not only his voice,
but is echoed by each of the commu-
nities in which his papers are published,
the sentiment of which his "editor in
charge of this paper" is supposed to
represent. So he dictates his diatribe,
and then dictates the comment he
wants his editors to make, to support
his argument and glorify his name,
and sends it out over the longest leased
wire, as he did when he praised him-
self for his patriotic stand in the war-
time editorial a short time ago. It
would not make so much difference
if the scurrilous attacks upon the Wil-
son administration reached only intel-
ligent people, for then they would be
understood and discounted accordingly.
But the Hearst publications every-
where are directed almost exclusively
at the mob, and being read principally
by those who lack the capability of
arguing things out for themselves, they
arouse passions which only a deed of
violence can adequately express. For
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as if there were no valuable
truths to be discovered in mod-
ern publications, while others
will read only new books, as if
some valuable truths are not
among the old. Some will not
read a book because they are ac-
quainted with the author, by
which the reader may be more
injured than the author. Others
read not only the book, but
would also read the man, by
which the most ingenious au-
thor may be injured by the most
impertinent reader.—Lord Dis-
raeli

COURAGE.

No man can be brave who
thinks pain the greatest evil nor
temperate who considers pleas-
ure the highest good.—Cicero.

Remember to be calm in ad-
versity.—Horace.

In great straits and when hope
is small the boldest counsels are
the safest.—Livy

Courage conquers all things.
It even gives strength to the
body Ovid.

If we must fall we should
boldly meet the danger.—Tac-
itus

Do not yield to misfortunes,
but meet them with fortitude.—
Vergil.

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four allspice berries and a grain of salt.
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cept salt, and bring to boiling point
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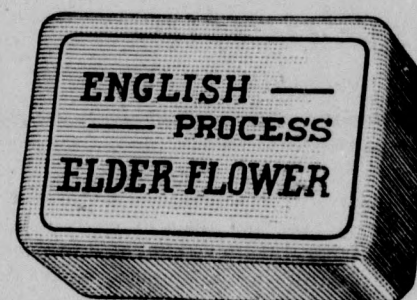
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